

Appl. No.: 10/045,256
Amdt. Dated: 7/18/03
Reply to Office Action of: 4/23/2003

RECEIVED
JUL 23 2003
TC 1700

1724

#411

a 25 '03

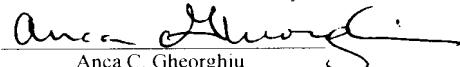


IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 10/045,256
Applicant : Robert Morena et al.
Filed : 10/25/01
Title : Pollucite-Based Ceramic with Low CTE
TC/A.U. : 1724
Examiner : Jason M. Greene
Docket No. : SP00-253

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 CFR 1.8a)

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on: July 18, 2003.


Anca C. Gheorghiu

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office action of 4/23/2003, please amend the above-identified as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.